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be an ability to have further state aid to schools and we would not have to go to \$1.10. Hopefully, the economy will get stronger, and you can read the papers every day like I do and see that some parts of our economy are coming along pretty well. We know there can be another 9-11. We know there can be other problems going on in Iraq. There could well be an event this fall ahead of our elections, the way it sounds, after what happened in Spain. But the issue is we need to try to look ahead at this time and see what our budget will look like in another year when we go through the two-year biennium budget next year. And at this point, it points to the fact that we ought to allow schools to continue to operate, to provide satisfactory education, and using the \$1.10 for planning purposes I think is a prudent thing for us to consider. I will repeat our committee went through several phases of frustration and disgust and uncertainty, and finally decided that the only way that we can get this much money, \$102 million in this case, it's about, once again, \$1.06 is \$10 million, \$1.07 is \$20 million, on up to \$1.10. In fact, I held out myself early on to try to figure out a way to do something less than \$1.10. Because contrary to popular belief, I think we're all impacted by property tax to the point that we don't want to raise property taxes either. But reality is at the state budget, if you consider our responsibilities in higher education and aid to the needy and the Medicaid side of it, three-fourths of our budget, including K-12 aid is driving much of our costs. And we've done all about the cutting we can do on the one-fourth of our budget, that is state operations, constitutional officers, the Legislature, the Supreme Court, water...Natural Resources Commission, all the other agencies, and if you want to see the cuts that they've taken and where they're at, they're listed in the back of your blue book. We've just about come to the end of the line on our state operations in terms of across-the-board cuts or any other cuts. And to get \$100 million in additional cuts, for example, it takes... I've used this before but I'd repeat it. It takes the whole UNO budget, for example. And so it's to the point that this is one of the few options I believe we have, other than raising taxes in other forms. So this is the option we're putting forward at General File. The other thing is that there probably should be or could be a real hope, I think, cautious optimism may be the best word, that a year